BEFORE ADJOURNMENT See Way to Settlement of Troubles on

Panama Canal Treaty Will Be Ratified.

TODAY'S DISCUSSION

ARTICLE RELATING TO NON-IN-TERFERENCE __BATED.

Cuban Reciprocity Agreement to Be Taken Up Tomorrow-No Opposition Apparent.

The Panama canal treaty will be ratified before the Senate adjourns this afternoon and the Cuban reciprocity treaty will be taken up tomorrow. There are no indications of opposition to the latter under the arrangement which has been made providing for its amendment, and it is the opinion that the Cuban reciprocity treaty will be ratified, and the special session of the Senate brought to an end before the close of

There were no evidences today of disposition to prolong discussion of the Cuban reciprocity treaty. It was said that senatreaty will withhold their remarks until the | to the controversy were represented by next session of Congress and deliver them | a strong array of legal counsel. in connection with the resolution to be passed by both houses putting the treaty

The Senate met at 11 o'clock today and went into executive session as soon as the journal was read and approved. .

Immediately after the doors were closed the Panama canal treaty was laid before the Senate. There was again a good attentiance of senators in anticipation of the final vote upon the treaty, which is set for today, but for which no particular hour is

The proceedings opened with a speech by Senator Morgan, which was devoted espe-cially to the question of the defense of the He criticised sharply the action of the Senate in refusing yesterday to so amend the treaty as to insure American

Doctrine of Non-Interference.

When Mr. Morgan concluded Senator Money offered a substitute for the fourth article of the treaty, which disayows any intention on the part of the United States to increase its territory at the expense of South or Central America. The substitute offered by Senator Money was agreed upon by the democratic caucus, and without mentioning South or Central America it reiterates the American doctrine of non-interference with the affairs of all the American republics, with the view of reassuring Mexico on that point, and pledges this country to attempt no acquisition of Colombian territory. This is one of the two amendments on which the democrats agreed to act as a unit, and consideration of it was begun early in the day with the view of concentrating most of the debate

Speeches were made in support of the Money amendment by Senators Bacon, Tel-ler, Daniel, Morgan, Bailey and others. They contended for an impartial recognition of all American republics, urging that under the language of the fourth article of the treaty Mexico would be left as the only American republic to which the avowal of non-encreachment could be held as nonapplicable.

Practically No Difference. Senators Spooner and Hoar replied, con-

tending that there was practically no difference between the language of the amendment and that of the article as it stands. Money Amendment Defeated.

At 3 o'clock the vote was taken on the Money amendment. The republicans voted against it and the democrats for it, and it was defeated.

TO COMMAND THE CHICAGO.

Capt. C. C. Cornwell Will Relieve Capt. Dayton.

Capt. James H. Dayton, who has been in command of the cruiser Chicago, flagship of the European squadron, since May, 1901, will shortly be relieved of that duty by Capt. Charles C. Cornwell, who has been stationed at the Naval Home, Philadelphia, since March, 1901.

On the retirement of Rear Admiral Crowninshield, commanding the European squadron, on the 20th instant, Capt. Dayton, as the senior officer present, will assume command of the station pending the arrival of Rear Admiral Charles S. Cotton about the middle of April. It is expected that Capt. Cornwell will assume command of the Chicago about the same time. Commander Nathan E. Niles, recently in command of the gunboat Nashville, will succeed Capt. Cornwell at the Naval Home.

TO JOIN THEIR REGIMENTS.

Assignment of Army Officers Recently Promoted.

Officers recently promoted have been assigned to regiments as follows: Col. Winfield S. Edgerly to the 2d Cavalry; Col. Charles Morton to the 11th Cavalry; Col. 34 moves; Pillsbury beat Moreau, Sicilian Charles A. P. Hatfield to the 13th Cavalry; Lieut. Col. Walter S. Schuyler to the 2d Cavalry; Lieut. Col. Samuel L. Woodward to the 7th Cavalry; Lieut. Col. Henry P. Kingsbury to the 8th Cavalry; Lieut, Col. Frank West to the 5th Cavalry; Major A. P. Blockson to the 2d Cavalry: Major Joseph A. Gaston to the 1st Cavalry; Major Jo-Hugh Scott to the 3d Cavalry; Capt. Al-fred E. Kinnington to the 7th Cavalry; third prize with 19 points, and Pillsbury wins third prize with 18½ points. Capt. Lanning Parsons to the 8th Cavalry; Capt. Edward P. Orton to the 7th Cavalry: First Lieut. Rudolph E. Smyser to the 4th Cavalry; First Lieut. Joseph E. Righter, jr., to the 4th Cavalry; First Lieut. Jens E. Stedie to the 4th Cavalry: First Lieut, John Lieut, Consuelo A. Seoane to the 3d Cavalry; First Lieut. Nathaniel M. Cartmell to e 10th Cavalry, and First Lleut, Otto W. Rethorst to the 8th Cavalry. Colonel Hatfield will join his regiment

upon its arrival in the Division of the Phil-Lieut. Col. West is relieved from further duty in the inspector general's department and will proceed to join his regiment.

Argument Regarding Oil Lands.

The United States Supreme Court today heard arguments in a number of cases involving title to several tracts of oil lands in the vicinity of Bakersfield, Cal. The, lands were located in lieu of other lands held in forest reservations under the act of 1897, but the Secretary of the Interior refused to accept the entries, holding the lands to be mineral.

Murdered Woman's Body Found. FALL RIVER, Mass., March 17.-The body of Mrs. Angela Chabot was found here today under a building used as a fish mar-

ket. The head had been badly battered, apparently with a club. The police are searching for the husband, whose relations with his wife are said to have been unpleasant.

Movements of Naval Vessels. The gunboat Albany left Algiers yesterday for Palermo. The collier Nero has arrived at Suez.

Minister Van Citters in New York. NEW YORK, March 17.—Among the pas-sengers who arrived today by the steamer Prinz Wilhelm IV from La Guaira was Adolph Jacobus van Citters, Dutch minister

New Haven R. R.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 17 .- The feeling today among the members of the grievance committee of the conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad prior to the conference with the officials of the company was very hopeful that the way had been open for an amicable, settlement of the differences with the company. Valentine Fitzpatrick and W. C. Wilkins, the national representatives, respectively, of the trainmen and conductors' organization, said they would not attend the conference, but that all the twenty-eight members of the griev-

nce committee would be present.

Mr. Fitzpatrick said no statement would be given out from the committee until after the conference, and no announcement would be made at present of the result of the vote on the strike question.

WABASH FIGHT BEGINS. Brotherhoods Begin Effort to Dissolve

the Temporary Injunction. ST. LOUIS, March 17.-Arguments were begun this morning in the United States district court before Judge Elmer B. Adams, upon the motion of the defendants, to dissolve the temporary injunction issued two weeks ago by Judge Adams, restraining the officials of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Brotherhood of Railway Firemen from ordering a strike of members of those organizations employed on the Wabash railroad. All the prominent officials of both labor organizations were prestors who have views to present upon the ent at the opening of court, and both sides

> The proceedings opened by the reading by E. J. Pinney of Cleveland, attorney for the brotherhoods, of a number of affidavits filed by officials of the labor organizations in rebuttal of affidavits filed last Saturday by the attorneys of the Wabash sys-

These affidavits were made by P. H. Morrissey, grand master of the trainmen; J. J. Hanahan, grand master of the firecers of or affiliated with the two labor ganizations. They all stated, in effect, that no persuasion or argument had been used induce the men to strike, but that, on the contrary, every man had expressed his desire by a vote, which he cast independ-ently and without dictation from any source. It was also declared that no force or coercion was contemplated in bringing about a strike of the Wabash employes. Several of the affidavits were of great length, and their reading consumed much

MORE BOXER ATROCITIES.

Three Missionaries Murdered - Two Distinct Phases of the Revolt.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17 .- W. B. Bentley, a missionary, who has been a number of years in Shanghai, has arrived here. Speaking of the situation in China he said: "The latest atrocity committed by the Boxers was the murder of three missionaries in the province of Chi-li.

"The Boxer movement in China has two distinct phases.

"In southern China the movement is against the dynasty, while in the northern part the cry is 'Down with the foreigners.' 'he' entire movement is not actuated by the Boxers, but by a class known as the reform party. The Cantonese in southern China have always been hostile to the present dynasty. This is because the Cantonese go abroad and imbibe foreign ideas. Their movements are anti-dynastic. In the northern parts there is an anti-foreign feeling, mingled with the hatred of the dy-

"Throughout China there is a lack of cooperation among the reformers, and probably for some time to come the outbreaks will be of small proportions.

DOUBLE SUICIDE IN ST. LOUIS. Dr. A. B. McKee and a Twin Brother

the Victims. ST. LOUIS, March 17.-Dr. A. B. McKee was found dead and his twin brother and comrade. Charles McKee, dying in the stable of Dr. McKee at Edwardsville, Ill., today under circumstances that indicate dual suicide to escape a disgrace that threatened the physician, and which his brother dreaded as much as if it were his own. This explanation grows out of the arrest of Dr. McKee on a charge of crimi-

nal assault a few days ago. He was known to have been greatly worried over the case, but it was not thought he would commit suicide. When the bodies were discovered Dr. McKee had been dead several hours and Charles McKee was breathing faintly, but died fifteen minutes later. Death came from the administraion of morphine. Dr. McKee, who was forty years of age, had an excellent practice. He leaves a widow and one child.

LAST ROUND IN CHESS TOURNEY. Tarrasch Gets the First Prize in the

Contest. MONTE CARLO, March 17. - The thirteenth and concluding round of the second half of the international chess tournament which began here February 10 was played today. The game between Tarrasch and Maroczy, queen's gambit declined, was drawn in 32 moves; Mason beat Albin, Ruy Lopez opening, in 37 moves; Schlecter beat Mieses, Sicilian defense, in defense, in 44 moves; the Taubenhaus-Marco game, Ruy Lopez opening, resulted in a draw after 34 moves, and the contests between Teichmann and Wolf, Ruy Lopez opening, and between Reggio and Marshall,

Ponziani opening, were each adjourned. In the international chess tournament

AMES TO PLEAD INSANITY.

Former Mayor of Minneapolis to Be Arraigned Tomorrow.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 17.-Dr. A. A. Ames, in custody of Sheriff Dreger, reached Minneapolis this morning, having stood the trip better than was anticipated. He was at once taken to a hotel for breasfast and soon after received a number of friends. It has been arranged to have Ames arraigned tomorrow. In the meantime, the prisoner will be in charge of a deputy sheriff at the Hotel Nicollet. .

Ames' defense, according to W. W. Erwin, his leading counsel, will be insanity. His paternal grandfather is said to have been insane. Ames now has a brother in one of the state hospitals for the insane. Quarters have been fitted up for Ames in the city hospital, where it has been plan-ned to hold him as a prisoner pending trial. The court is not likely to accede to this proposition, as the county jail is commodi-

ous and hygenic. Karamnia's Passengers Released.

NEW YORK, March 17.-The detained passengers of the steamer Karamnia were released from Hoffman Island today. The Karamnia, an Anchor Line steamer, arrived here Tuesday, March 10, from Marsellles. Palermo and Naples and reported six deaths at sea. The health officer held the passengers and crew at Hoffman Island under suspicion that the deaths possibly were due to cholera. No new cases have

Mr. Wilkins Slightly Better. NEW YORK, March 17 .- The condition of

Berlah Wilkins, owner of the Washington Post, who is ill at the Waldorf-Astoria Hoabout the same today as yesterday. A member of Mr. Wilkins' family said if there was any change, Mr. Wilkins was a little better.

Mr. Bryan has his faults, but he also has his good points. One thing we like about him is that when he talks about being willing to unite on a good man no doubt is left as to whe he means.

FLOOD STORIES DENIED

No Danger Anticipated at New Orleans.

VIEWS OF M. J. SANDERS

THE CITY IS PROTECTED ON ALL SIDES.

Mississippi Reported to Be Stationary There Today-Status of the Flood Elsewhere.

NEW ORLEANS, March 17 .- M. J. Sanders, president of the Progressive Union sends the following statement to the Asso-

ciated Press: "As president of the New Orleans Progressive Union I desire to contradict absolutely and unequivocally the sensational stories which are at present being circulated by some correspondents of newspapers in this city to their principals in other parts of the United States in reference particularly to the high water situation in the Mississippi river and its possible effect on the city of New Orleans. As a matter of fact there is not and has not been for a great many years the slightest risk of any damage to city of New Orleans proper from a high river. All along the commercial front of the city the streets and the property behind have been graded up to the level designed by the engineers as the extreme grade, making a solid embankment of earth, in many cases for several hundred feet back from the bank of the river.

Surrounded by Levees. "The city, in addition, is surrounded by high levees, so that should there be any break in the levess in the country above the city or below, not one drop of water can possibly penetrate into the city. The very utmost that could happen by a still further considerable rise in the stage of the river would be the overflow of some portion of would be the overnow of some portion of water, which would merely run down the gutters of the streets and to the drain canals, benefiting them rather than other-wise. In no sense is there any anxiety rewise. In no sense is there any anxiety regarding the personal safety or the safety of their property on the part of the citizens of New Orleans, who are perfectly well aware that there is absolutely no danger of harm to the commercial interests from the alarmist reports which are being circu-lated, and which in many cases are so abso-lutely exaggerated to to bear the earmarks of a gross negligence.

River Continues Stationary. The river here continues stationary. The morning reading was 19.2, from which there has been practically no variations since Saturday last. The weather today is clear. The city embankments are constantly being improved and a thorough inspection of the front from South Port to the barracks shows no points of danger. The news of the breaking of the levees above the St. francis and at Bougere has caused some disappointment, since the effect is likely to be a prolongation of the period of high water here. People who have returned from the break below Point-a-la-Hatche say the break is of little concern. The country is barren and no serious damage will be done. The Mississippi Valley railroad started out a patrol train today, which will run between Baton Rouge and New Orleans. There is a magnificent stretch of levee between the two points, which protects some of the most valuable sugar plantations in the state. Every effort is being made to hold it, and men and material have been distributed along it in abundance.

SITUATION AT MEMPHIS.

Families Still Fleeing From Northern Part of City.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 17.-The river s slowly falling today, the gauge registering 39.4 feet against 39.7 last night. The break in the levee near Hollybury, twenty miles north of here, is responsible for the fall at Memphis. The crevasse is threequarters of a mile wide. The whole of the St. Francis basin will be flooded and incalculable damage will be done. No other

breaks have been reported.

At Memphis the flood situation is growing more serious. In the northern part of the city hundreds of families have left their omes for high ground, and every industry is shut down and street car service aban-doned. In South Memphis the water is threatening all railroad tracks, and hun-dreds of laborers are working there. The Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad is the worst sufferer from the flood, its

tracks being partly under water for miles. The Illinois Central has experienced some difficulty at Auction street, but the tracks have been "cribbed" and their trains are moving as usual. Marty appeals for help are coming in from

flood sufferers and the Sunshine Society of this city has establised a refuge camp here.

INVITATION TO VISIT HAWAII. Urgent Request That the President Visit the Islands.

(By Pacific Cable to the Associated Press.) HONOLULU, March 17.-The people of the Hawaiian Islands are very much interested in the western trip of President Roosevelt and for some time past leading citizens have been discussing the matter with a view to asking the President to extend his trip beyond San Francisco and come here.

An urgent invitation has been forwarded to the President inviting him to visit the Hawaiian Islands, and it is planned that in the event of his acceptance of the invitation to arrange a system of wireless telegraphy, so that the steamer on which the presidential party travels will be in con-stant communication with the main land and with the Hawaiian Islands.

In this way the President can be informed daily of the trend of national affairs and can direct the machinery of the gov-ernment on the vessel on which he travels. In the event of matters requiring the President's immediate return to Washington it would be an easy matter for the details of the return trip to be arranged by wireless telegraphy and no time would be lost by delays either here or in San Francisco in the arranging for the route and other detalls incidental to a trip of the President of the United States from either Honolulu or San Francisco on his return across the continent. The hope is enthusiastically expressed that the President will so arrange his plans as to permit his visiting the Hawaiian Islands.

Francis and Schwab Return.

NEW YORK, March 17.-The steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm from Bremen and Southampton arrived today. Among her passengers were Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, and D. R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purcase Exposition.

Attorney Pound Accepts Nomination. DETROIT, Mich., March 17 .- Attorney James H. Pound of Detroit has signified his acceptance of the democratic nomination for supreme judge.

In Paris. From the Mexican Herald.

For more than a year expectoration in the streets of Paris has been forbidden, and now it is proposed to make it an offense, punishable by fine, to throw away either rags or paper in the public thoroughfare. This measure will destroy the trade of the He Means Bryan.

IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

Chief Justice Bingham's Retirement-Gossip Regarding Successor.

There were no developments today at the city hall in connection with the expected retirement from the bench of Chief Justice Bingham of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. The understanding is that Chief Justice Bingham will give up his active duties in the very near future, possibly at the end of this week

Regarding the metigement of the chief justice, there have been many rumors in circulation as to his successor. In these, Justice Clabaugh aname has figured prominently, but it is senerally known that this has been without the knowledge or approval. His frieffds say that, with other members of the bench, he believes that such honor should come unsought, and if he is selected to succeed the chief justice it will

selected to succeed the chief Justice it will be without any solicitation on his part or even indirectly by his friends.

As it is contrary to local precedent that an associate justice should be chosen for the chief justiceship there is much talk among members of the bar about the likelihood of Senator Pritchard being appointed, particularly as it is assumed that Mr. J. J. Darlington would not consent to serve on Darlington would not consent to serve on

the bench. It is said, however, that Senator Pritchard recently expressed himself to the effect that he would not accept any office that would result in his withdrawal from poli-

GIVEN A HEARING.

Senator Penrose Argues for Award of

Filtration Plant Contract. Secretary Root this afternoon gave a nearing to Senator Penrose and Mr. Quinn of the firm of Harmer & Quinn of Philadelphia in support of the contention of that firm that it is legally and properly entitled to the contract for the construction of the filtration plant of the District under the conditions of the advertisement inviting proposals for the work. It is understood that Gen. Gillespie, Col. Mackenzie and Col. Miller of the Corps of Engineers have united in a recommendation that the conunited in a recommendation that the contract be divided among several local contractors who submitted bids on different branches of the work, which bids in the aggregate are about \$175,000 less than the bid of Harmer & Quinn. In view of Secretary Root's unfamiliarity with the nistory of the question it is not believed that he will be able to take final action upon it for several days at least several days at least.

BREAKS OUT AFRESH.

Difficulty Between Rival Labor Bodies Again Causes Men to Quit.

The labor difficulty which arose about two weeks ago in the erection of the Portner Hotel annex, at the corner of 15th and V streets, over the employment of sixteen Knights of Labor metal lathers by the Southern Expanded Metal Company, one of the subcontractors on the work, and which is pending before the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, has broken out afrech, and in consequence the workmen of the Allied Building Trades, Council of the Central Labor limon who were employed on the structure have quit work. The workmen of the latter organization refused to resume their duties resterday when they learned that the Knights of Labor lathers were on the structure. It is expected that the matter will be finally adjusted Thurs-day, at which time the controversy between the organizations will be heard in court.

Go Out on Strike.

Two machinists and three apprentices ffillated with Washington Lodge of Machinists, and employed by E. H. Catlin & Co. of this city, went on a strike yesterday afternoon about a o'clock, demanding an eight-hour day. The question of pay is not at issue, and it is expected that the difficulty will be adjusted within a day or two.

002 of 5 Funeral of Mrs. Carrie Smith.

The funeral of Mrs. Carrie Smith, who died Thursday last at her residence, 404 8th street northeast, took place from her late residence Saturday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Bagby, pastor of the Ninth Street Christian Church, officiating. Interment was made at Glenwood cemetery. Members of the choir rendered "Nearer. My God, to Thee" and 'Asleep in Jesus" and a friend of the family sang "Abide With Me" at the grave.

Mrs. Smith was sixty-five years of age. Mr. William G. Smith, her husband, and two daughters, Miss Annie Smith of this city and Mrs. W. B. Binford of Staten Island, N. Y., survive her.

The deceased was a daughter of James Harvey of Camberwell, London, England. Prior to five years ago Mr. and Mrs. Smith resided in Dundee, Ill., and Chattanooga,

Says Action Was Unauthorized. A marriage license was issued yesterday

by the clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia authorizing Rev. T. C. Easton to join Arthur A. Lithgow, aged thirty-seven years, and Anna B. Stepper, aged twenty-one years, in matrimony. Miss Stepper was the applicant for the license. Late during the afternoon Mr. Lithgow called at the city hall and announced that the action of Miss Stepper was unauthorized, so far as he was concerned, and that the proposed marriage would not take

Failed to Find Traces of Blood.

District Chemist Hird has completed his examination of the coat and ragged pocketbook found Friday not far from the scene of the Kate Jordan murder in Hillsdale. He failed to find any trace of blood on either article. Capt. Boardman said today that he was anxious to get the coat identified. The coat is in fair condition, and the captain is doing all he can to find the owner of it. An overcoat also figured in the case of Mrs. Ada Gilbert Dennis, who was bru-tally murdered in her home in K street more than a year ago. That garment was also in good condition. It was found in a sewer and its owner was not located

Funeral to Occur Tomorrow.

The funeral of Wm. L. Barrington, who was for years connected with the Navy Department, will take place tomorrow morning from his late residence, 2118 Connecticut avenue. The death occurred Sunday

The Burlington Raises Wages. CHICAGO, March 17.-A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Barlington, Iowa, says: The officials of the Burlington system have authorized the announcement of an increase of 10 per cent in the pay of station agents, telegraph operators, of station employes, bridge men, pumpmen, round-house men, water service men, car repairers and others who have not yet been given an increase. Last fall the road increased the wages of the trainmen, the engineers and the switchmen. The present barease, which is effective April 1, is voluntary on the part of the

> Degree for M. Jusserand.

CHICAGO, Masen FR.-At the quarterly convocation exercises of the University of Chicago, which were held today, the degree of doctor of laws was conferred upon M. Jusserand, the French ambassador. Fifty students received bachelor degrees. The convocation address was delivered by Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus, president of Armour Institute, on "The Heroism of Scholarship."

White Stockings Off to Mobile. CHICAGO, March 17 .- The White Stock ngs of the American League left for Mobile. Ala, today to begin their spring training, A number of games with southern teams will be played.

Tom L. Johnson Benominated. CLEVELAND, Ohlo, March 17 .- Tom L.

Admits He Shot Policemen Waters and Hall.

SAYS HE WAS "DOPED

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OC-CURRED EARLY TODAY.

One of Victims is at Emergency Hospital-Condition Serious, but Will Recover.

Policeman William Johnson, colored, who has recently done duty in the South Washington precinct, is occupying quarters in the station as a prisoner.

He is charged with having attempted to assassinate two of his brother officers this morning by shooting them. His victims are U. W. Hall and Frank Waters, both colored. The shooting occurred at 1st and N

streets southwest, while the victims were standing at a patrol box. Waters had sent in his 1 o'clock call, and Hall was about to give the desk sergeant the information that he was there on duty. Johnson made a confession shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Says He Was Hoodooed.

"I was hoodooed by the woman at whos house I roomed," the prisoner said, relating the story of the shooting to Lieutenant Mathews. "She put something in my water and it made me feel funny. I wanted to leave the house, but for some reason I was

unable to leave." Johnson said he had no ill-feeling toward either of his victims, and he could not tell why he shot them. When he reached home why he shot them. When he reached home last night he said he was seized with a desire to go out bleycling, and he had been riding about the city some little time before he met his brother officers.

Then he took out his weapon and kept up the shooting until he had emptied every chamber. He said there was no ill-feeling between them on account of a women.

between them on account of a woman. "It's simply that I've been hoodooed, and there's no other reason for it," he de-

Insanity Probable Defense. It is apparent from the tenor of his con fession that his defense will be insanity The fact that he has a brother in St. Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane will probably be used in his behalf.

This effernoon at the hospital it was stated that the condition of Waters was favorable. Hall's wound is apparently not serious, although it will be some time be-fore he will be able to return to duty. Waters was struck by two bullets. One went through his right hand and the other penetrated his back. He is in the Emergency Hospital, and his condition may be

Hall was struck in the right arm, be-tween the wrist and elbow. The bullet hit the bone and came out near the elbow. The piece of flattened lead was found in shirtsleeve

Johnson's Arrest.

Lieut. Mathews took a hand in the investigation shortly after the shooting, and escorted Johnson from his home, at 67 H street northeast, to the station in South Washington Why Johnson should have done the shoot-

ing, his brother officers are unable to tell, unless it was because of a girl. It was evderer to take the life of Waters, for he did not turn on Hall until the latter drew his weapon and made an effort to use it. Johnson and Waters are single men. former was engaged to be married to a South Washington woman a short

ago. The engagement was broken and the ring returned.
Waters had frequently joked with John son about the woman, but he always seemed to take what was said in good part. It is now thought by the officers that John-son did not like to be teased, and that he thought over the matter until his mind was greatly disturbed. He denies that he

Shot Through Army Coat.

Johnson was on duty from 4 o'clock yes terday afternoon until midnight, three hours of which were with Hall. Waters relieved him at midnight, and was at the box with Hall, turning in the 1 o'clock call, when a colored man appeared and com-

when a colored man appeared and commenced firing.

The first shot was fired through the side pocket of an army coat, and four or five more shots followed in rapid succession. Two of them were sent in the direction of Hall. Waters had turned in and had pulled the lever of the telephone for Hall, when the latter noticed a man approaching.

The man wore a soldier's coat and black slouch hat. The hat was pulled down over his eyes, while the coat collar hid part of his face. As soon as he reached Waters he began shooting. Waters grabbed hold of the weapon but was compelled to release his hold when one of the bullets hit him. So busily was he engaged trying to keep the weapon turned from him that he could not draw his own weapon. Hall drew his revolver, and, alming at the fellow, pulled the trigger. The cartridges refused to explode, and he was at the mercy of the assailant until the latter had exhausted his ammunition.

Turned and Ran East.

When this had been done the man turned and ran east on N street and south on Half street. Hall then went to his partner's assistance. The patrol wagon and ambulance were summoned, and the wounded men were taken to the hospital. Hall was able later to go home.

The shooting created a sensation in po-

able later to go home. The shooting created a sensation in police circles and officers were sent out in all directions. After the message had reached the other stations, some of the policemen recalled alleged strange experiences they had had with Johnson, and it was for this reason that the lieutenant went to his house to see him. Johnson should have been on reserve in the police station. Instead he was at home in bed.

Sergeant Kramer and Policeman Jackson found the soldier coat that was worn by the man who did the shooting, and it proved to be the coat of a corporal, with the stripes taken off. Johnson Was a Corporal.

The investigation made today developed the fact that Johnson was a corporal in the army, and torn fragments of stripes from a coat were found on the floor in his It was noticed by the victims that the man who shot them used his left hand. Johnson is left handed. An old slouch hat

was found on the lot near the coat at O and Half streets. The hat had the appearance of having been picked up from an

light on his wheel, and received the reply: "I'm the janitor of the fourth precinct." The bareheaded wheelman next appeared The bareheaded wheelman next appeared riding in the mud across a lot near 14th and D streets northeast. Bicycle Policeman Wilson called to him, but he did not stop. Policeman O. E. Duvali saw him riding west on H street, as if he had been out on the Benning road, and Policeman O'Donnell stopped him. O'Donnell did not hold him when he recognized him as Policeman John-

son explained, and he seemed greatly excited.

As already stated, Johnson was found in bed when Lieutenant Mathews reached the house. To the lieutenant Johnson said he

Then, he said, he left his home bareheaded and started to ride to his sister's in 9th street for ride to his sister's in win street northeast. Instead of going to his sister's he went almost to Benning bridge and returned. On his return trip he stopped, he sam, at his sister's house, but did not succeed in arousing anybody. He denied having been at any other place after leav-ing the station.

Lieutenant Mathews searched the room occupied by Johnson and found his revolved on the bureau. It was empty and six empty shells were in the room. Johnson said he was in the habit of emptying the chambers every night when he reached home.

Six Unusued Cartridges. The empty shells, he said, he had fired at Giesboro' Point some days ago. Six un-

used cartridges were also found in the The stripes, apparently from a corporal's coat, were seen on the floor by the lieutenant, but no attention was paid to them until

the latter went to the station and saw the coat that had been found. Then Mathews sent Policeman Williams to the house to get them. Johnson told the policemen at the station this afternoon that he had a brother in the insane asylum. His other, he stated, had no dangerous mania, Detectives Weedon and Lacy were assigned to the case by Captain Boardman and they are working with Lieutenant

AUGUST DONATH HONORED.

Action Taken by Columbia Typographical Union.

By a unanimous rising vite of Columbit Typographical Union the name of Mr. August Donath has been placed on the honorary roll of that organization as a recognition of his great services in behalf shares, with the exception of New York of Columbia Union. This action was taken at a meeting of the union held Sunday last, and Mr. Donath was immediately notified of the honor conferred upon him. Mr. August Donath became a member of Columbia Union immediately after his discharge from the army in 1863. He at once took a prominent part in the affairs of the union and was elected a delegate to the international Typographical Union in 1875. In 1877 he quit working at his trade, and four years later became the editor and proprietor of a newspaper in Pennsylvania, and has been connected with the newspaper ousiness in Pennsylvania ever since. though a proprietor and employer of labor, he was made a member of the board of trustees of the international Typographical Union in 1886, and held office for six years, being associated with the late Amos Cummings and several other prominent mem-bers of the printing trade during this time.

Mr. Donath has several times had oppor-tunity to publicly espouse the cause of unionism, and he has always been first to come forword and offer his services when the cause was in any danger or needed assistance. The action of Columbia Typosistance. graphical Union is regarded as particularly fitting, as it discharges a debt of gratitude it has owed Mr. Donath many years.

Letter From Secretary Rodrick of the School Trustees. Mr. Barry Bulkley, chairman of the com-

mittee on schools of the Shepherd memorial.

has received the following letter from Sec-

SHEPHERD MEMORIAL.

retary Rodrick of the board of school trustees: "The board of education in considering your communication of the 3d instant thought that it might prove a profitable exercise for the pupils of the higher grades to write essays on the life and work of Gov-ernor Shepherd, as it would involve considerable study of the capital city and its development, and would, apart from its educational value, undoubtedly awaken an interest in the project that is under way to guished man. It was also thought that perhaps the end might be better accom-plished by making the exercise rather a study of the man and his work than a competition for a prize of any kind. In lieu of the offering of prizes perhaps public interest

might be stimulated quite as much by the publication of several of the best efforts of the children in the local press."

Where is Patrick Hayes? A dispatch was received at police headquarters this afternoon asking the police to locate Patrick Hayes of Lowell, Mass. It was stated that his brother James was dead

Washington Stock Exchange.

com., 10 bid. 12% asked.

National Bank Stocks.—Bank of Washington, 425 bid, 450 asked. Metropolitan, 700 bid, 775 asked. Central, 300 bid. Farmers and Mechanics', 300 bid. Second, 160 bid. Citizens', 192 bid. Columbia, 194 bid. Capital, 170 bid. West End, 138 bid. Traders', 145 bid. Lincoln, 124 bid, 128 asked. Riggs, 740 bid. Title Insurance Stocks.—Firemen's, 27 bid, 30 asked. Franklin, 50 bid, 53 asked. Metropolitan, 75 bid, 90 asked. Corcoran, 72 bid. Potomac, 62 bid. Arrington, 33 bid, 35 asked. German-American, 280 bid, 305 asked. National Union, 7% bid, 9 asked. Columbia, 11 bid, 12 asked. Riggs, 8% bid. People's, 6% bid, 7 asked. Commercial, 5 bid. Colonial, 98 bid, 106 asked.

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Title Insurance Stocks.—Real Estate Title, 92 bid.
Columbia Title, 4½ bid, 5 asked. Washington Title, 2½ bid, 2½ asked.
Telephone and Graphophone Stocks.—Chesapeake and Potomac, 45 bid, 48 asked. American Graphophone, com., 4 bid, 4½ asked. American Graphophone, pref., 8 bid, 9 asked.
Gas Stocks.—Washington Gas, *81½ bid, 81½ asked.
Georgetown Gas, 77 bid.
Type Machine Stocks.—Mergenthaler Linotype, *179½ bid, 180 asked. Lanston Monotype, 9½ bid, 10½ asked.
Miscellaneous Stocks.—Greene Con. Copper Co.

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Miscellaneous Stocks.—Greene Con. Copper Co.,
2514 bid, 2514 asked. Washington Market, 1614 bid,
23 asked. Norfolk and Washington Steamboat, 200
bid. J. Maury Dove Co., 123 bid, 125 asked. Realty
Appraisal and Agency Co., 2014 bid, 2314 asked. Baltimore Markets.

was found on the lot near the coat at O and Half streets. The hat had the appearance of having been picked up from an ash heap.

In less than ten minutes after the shots were fired Johnson was seen at New Jersey avenue and I streets southeast, pushing a bicycle. He was bareheaded, and persons who saw him say he appeared greatly excited. So much so was he that he crossed the railroad tracks in front of an engine and came near being run over.

Going Northeast.

At that time he was going in a northeasterly direction. Policeman Creel of the fifth precinct saw a bareheaded colored man riding a bicycle in the neighborhood of 10th street and South Carolina avenue. He called to the rider, as the latter had no light on his wheel, and received the reply:

BALTIMORE, March 17.—Flour dull, unchanged; receipts, 12,899 barrels; exports, 36,672 barrels. Wheat dull; spot and March, 784,a78½; April, 78½ a78½; May, 79; steamer No. 2 red, 74a74½; receipts, 1.977 bushels; southern by sample, 70a79; do on grade, 75a79. Corn steady; spot, March and April, 49½a49½; May, 48½a49; steamer mixed, 46½ a6½; receipts, 153,235 bushels; exports, 25,714 bushels. Southern white and yellow corn, 45a49½. Oats firmer; No. 2 white, 42½a43; No. 2 mixed, 41a, 41½; receipts, 6,610 bushels. Rye firm; No. 2 export, 59; domestic, 61; receipts, 1,071 bushels. Hay steady, the color of the fifth precinct saw a bareheaded colored man riding a bicycle in the neighborhood of 10th street and South Carolina avenue. He called to the rider, as the latter had no light on his wheel, and received the reply:

Government Bonds.

Johnson was renominated for mayor by acclamation at the democratic city convention
today.

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Firmer Tone in Most Active had reached home from the station about 12:30 o'clock, having gone there on a street

PACIFICS' ISSUES FIRM

Stocks.

COPPER SHARES ALSO A BULL FEATURE.

Market Closed Rather Dull Under Profit-Taking by the Long

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

NEW YORK, March 17 .- The early London market for American railway shares showed some heaviness in tone, but later on prices recovered to about our closing figures of yesterday.

The local stock market at the opening showed a firmer tone, and the general list averaged slightly higher than yesterday's final quotations. Speculation was very quiet, with the greatest interest centering around Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and New York Central in the railway list. Copper shares, Tennessee Coal and Iron, and smelters issues were the leaders in the

Southern Pacific quickly gained % per cent after the opening on purchases by the pool, but the rally did not last, and after the first half hour's trading the price reacted to about opening figures. This might be said of most of the other active railway Central, which acted heavy from the start, notwithstanding reports of a meeting of a committee of the employes of the New York, New Haven and Hartford road at 2 p. m. today, to confer with the president of that road to try and arrange an amica-ble adjournment of their grievances. The general list showed irregular movements within 1 per cent. Several times be-fore the end of the first hour the indica-

which showed an extensive short interest n the loan crowd. Tennesse Coal and Iron was a strong feature throughout the morning session, the rumors current intimating that this month's net earnings are expected to equal the combined month's of January, February and March of last year, which led to some talk of a dividend distribution later on the common stock. Copper shares all showed a firmer tone and it was thought a good deal of the weak bull following had been shaken out in the declines of the past few days in those issues.

tions pointed to a good deal of covering or

the part of the bears in some of the stocks

Louisville and Nashville seemed to be well taken care of, notwithstanding the reported new issue of bonds and the disastrous floods in the south. The stock is said to be in hands of a newly formed bull pool. It rallied easily with the rest of the market, and stock appeared to be rather scarce in the loan crowd. The Readings, Eries, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Baltimore and Ohio, Pennsylvania and the Atchison stocks all ruled firm after the first hour of trading, and Smelters common held its l per cent advance. Bond trading was steady to firm, but not

banks yesterday, which makes the banks a loser of \$128,000 to that institution since Nothing more was heard of the rumo put out just before the close yesterday that the two warring factions in Southern Pa-cific and Union Pacific had reached an understanding regarding their difficulties. Both stocks were firm and appeared to receive support from their respective leaders.

Around the noon hour the market generally showed an improving tone, and there were good recoveries in Consolidated Gas,

The subtreasury gained \$382,000 from the

active.

Pennsylvania, Reading, the Eries, St. Paul and most of the active issues. The market was extremely dull from midday until about delivery hour (2:15 p.m.), when prices were again bid up slightly on Consolidated Gas enjoyed the best advance, because of a scarcity of that stock in the loan crowd. The Readings also were rather actively dealt in, and the common

up of prices in most of the active shares on pointed in not causing liquidation of long stock in their early selling. In the late trading there was some profit-taking on the long side of the account and prices shaded off fractionally from the best, copper shares being the first to feel the effects of this selling. The market on

stock gained about 1 per cent over the opening price, and there was some bidding

the whole, however, showed a very fair undertone of strength, but inclined to dull-

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Corn—May.....
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Oats—May.....
July..... CHICAGO, March 17.-Pro

A certificate of incorporation of the Beil Printing Company was filed today. Clar-ence F. Sowers, Thinddeus P. Beil and John